

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Andrew VAILLANT et al.
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For: ANTIVIRAL OLIGONUCLEOTIDES TARGETING HSV AND CMV
Art Unit: 1635
Examiner: Jane J., ZARA
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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences the decision of the Examiner dated December 19, 2006 rejecting the following:

Claims 1, 2 and 14-32.

Applicants are entitled to the small entity status; therefore the fee of \$250.00 is to be charged to our deposit Account No. 19-5113. Any further required fees may be charged to said Deposit Account.

A Pre-Appeal Brief Request is being filed concurrently.

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Respectfully submitted,

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